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1. The attached report was received from [] who regarded it of interest because it tended to give substance to previous reports of projected BIS operations into Albania. He was unaware of any U.S interest in any of the persons named in para 2. Attention is called, however, to the names Tefik LIKAJ and Et'hem CAKO, who are of current operational interest to [] in connection with Plan FONTANA.
2. A copy of this report has been passed to [].

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1. Rumors are current in Albanian circles in Rome that a number of Albanian refugees, living at present in Italy, are to be employed by various foreign intelligence services. Operations believed to be projected by such services are the following:
 - a. An operation mounted from Italy by BIS, with the aid of the few Albanian refugees believed to be partisans of the British;
 - b. An operation mounted from Greece, which will make use of Albanian refugees presently in both Greece and Italy;
 - c. An operation actually being organized at the present time in Greece, under auspices of the Greek military authorities, which will use both Orthodox and non-Orthodox Albanians resident in that country;
 - d. A program of activity of unspecified character to be carried out by ethnic Albanians from Yugoslavia, now in Italy, who are perhaps connected with ex-King ZOG.
2. The following persons are presumed to be connected with the BIS operation mentioned in Paragraph 2a above:
 - a. Tefik LIKAJ; this individual suddenly left the displaced persons camp at Fermo a week ago;
 - b. Feti PREMTE;
 - c. Hysen CAMI;
 - d. Lon PRIZRENI; this individual, as well as PREMTE and CAMI, lives at the Cinecitta displaced persons camp. These three persons keep unusual hours, and are often absent from the camp until midnight.
 - e. Etehem CAKO; although this individual left the Bagnoli displaced persons camp (near Naples) for the Cinecitta camp, he has never arrived at his alleged destination.
 - f. Genan HYKA; lives at the Bagnoli camp, but at Cinecitta it is rumored that he has been engaged to take part in an operation.
 - g. Aziz SAGO; left the Cinecitta camp suddenly on an unspecified date;
 - h. Two other Albanians, NU, natives of Shkoder, are known to have left the camp of Le Fraschette ten days ago for an unknown destination.

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3. The persons listed above are nearly all believed to be members of the Balli Kombetar. The information contained in Paragraph 2 concerning them has been confirmed by Enver RESILIA.

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